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In re Application of:

Zancopé-Oliveira *et al.*

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**FOR: “NUCLEIC ACIDS OF THE M ANTIGEN  
GENE OF HISTOPLASMA  
CAPSULATUM, ANTIGENS, VACCINES  
AND ANTIBODIES, METHODS AND KITS  
FOR DETECTING HISTOPLASMOSIS”**

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**of Correction**

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
**UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 255 AND 37 C.F.R. § 1.323**

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 255 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.323, it is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued to correct the above-identified patent. Two (2) copies of the Certificate of Correction are appended. The complete Certificate of Correction involves one (1) page.

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Cover page, first column, section (54), line 5 of title, word reading "Histoplasmas" should read --Histoplasmosis--

Page 3, column 1, line 5 of title, word reading "Histoplasmas" should read --Histoplasmosis--

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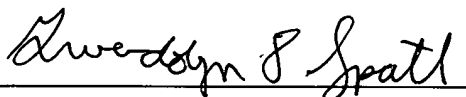
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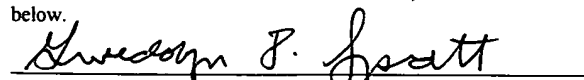


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